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**Supplemental Amendment and Response in Conjunction  
with Request for Continued Examination**

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Sir:

In conjunction with the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office herewith, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed May 1, 2006 (hereinafter "Final Action") and the Advisory Action mailed August 14, 2006.

**Amendments to Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.

In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. Applicant does not believe any additional fees are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any additional fees are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, authorization to charge such fees is given in the accompanying transmittal letter.